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The Forward O. P.

Well, we asked for it a few weeks ago, and it's here. The two-blanket weather, I mean. Now we won't have anything to complain about — it says here.

Joshuans Meet Teachers at PTA Potluck

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Rich, teachers in the Joshua Tree school, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harmon of 29 Palms were introduced to Joshua Tree parents at a potluck supper given by the PTA in the school building last Tuesday night. Mr. Harmon is the new principal of the elementary schools in the Morongo District. Over 100 attended the affair. During the evening all joined in a songfest led by Mrs. Harry Wheeler and Mrs. H. K. Lee.

The fall membership drive of the PTA was officially opened after the supper.

Officiating at the serving tables were the board members assisted by Mesdames Gus Ojala, George Van Tassel, Norris, H. K. Lee, Harold Jost, B. B. Wilds, John L. Duncan and V. L. Hoover.

Bowlers Honor Joshua Man

George Nelson of Joshua Tree, former railway executive of Minneapolis, last week was elected chairman of the board of the Railway National Bowling Association at its convention in Chicago. Nelson was vice-president of the Association before his elevation to the present post.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson several weeks ago disposed of their property in Minneapolis and moved to Joshua Tree where they have taken an active part in the civic and social life of the community.

Joshua Monument National Bank Will Have Grand Opening October 10th

The Joshua Monument National Bank of 29 Palms will open for inspection to the public on Sunday, October 10th, with a formal ceremony in the afternoon. The first institution of its kind in this area, the Joshua Monument Bank was organized by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Wasserburger with the assistance of many local citizens. Edward Kenney of 29 Palms is president and Nelson Mahoney is cashier.

A unique place in banking is held by Mrs. Wasserburger. She is the only woman chairman of the board of a national bank in California and the second woman to hold such a position in the history of California banking. Mrs. Zane Gray was the first woman to achieve this distinction. Strangely enough, both women were residents of Altadena.

According to Jospeh Wasserburger the Bank will offer every service available in any city bank. The service area of the local institution extends from Desert Hot Springs to Amboy and from the Whitewater turnoff to 29 Palms.

The opening ceremony will start at 1 p.m. with an invocation by Rev. Easter and benediction by Father O'Dowd. The Bank will be open for inspection by the public until 5 p.m., October 10th. Stockholders and correspondent bank representatives will be entertained at a social gathering in the evening.

According to present plans the Joshua Monument National Bank will open for business on Monday, October 11th. In case of delayed arrival of the mechanical bookkeeping equipment the business opening may be delayed.

The imposing modern building was designed by William Phelps and built by W. H. Watkins. Wasserburger gave high praise to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kenney who provided the building. The interior will be furnished with attractive birch fixtures and steel office furniture of modern utility design. Indirect lighting fixtures of latest type will provide comfortable illumination for patrons and employees.

The vault itself is a work of art and provides many new features for safety. The walls are of 18-inch steel and concrete construction. A unique day raid alarm gives further protection for employees and depositors. The vault is equipped with a 4½ ton steel door and time locks. A complete ventilating system provides fresh air in case someone should accidentally be locked in the vault and food and water are provided.

The Joshua Monument Bank has an imposing list of correspondent banks. Included are Citizens National Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles, Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Los Angeles, Security First National of Los Angeles, Union Bank and Trust Company of Los Angeles, Wells Fargo Bank and Union Trust Company of San Francisco and the Bank of California of San Francisco, Seattle, Tacoma and Portland.

The Republican standard bearers, Governor Thomas E. Dewey of New York and Governor Earl Warren of California, are shown here on the Dewey farm near Pawling, N. Y., as they made plans for the Presidential campaign which will take them to all parts of the U. S. In the background is the dairy barn in which the Dewey herd of approximately 50 cows—mostly Holsteins—is fed and milked. His farm neighbors credit Governor Dewey with a well-grounded knowledge of farming and the farmer's problems—knowledge gained from first-hand experience. National farm policy is expected to be one of the major campaign issues.

Stage Show Will Benefit Road Fund

Joshua Tree will be the scene of a theatrical production if enough amateur actors, scene painters and allied craftsmen respond to a call issued this week by Larry Wood, a new property owner at Sun Valley, at present living in Long Beach. Wood is a former producer and player in Little Theatre groups in the east.

In Joshua Tree last weekend Wood stated that he believed much talent was available here. He hopes that several plays may be given for the benefit of worthy civic causes in this area.

If the response of local residents is good rehearsals can be started within a month, said Wood. Anyone with former experience in stage work may send his or her name and address to the Journal office or call in person during the next ten days. Mr. Wood plans to meet with the group weekend after next.

Plenty of Gas On the Desert

City folks who are afraid to venture to the Joshua desert area for fear the gas shortage may leave them stranded can be assured of a plentfiul supply, say local service station owners. At no time have dealers here been limited as to the amount of gasoline on hand.

Bob Garry, operator of Garry's Shell Service, states that he has 7,000 gallon storage tanks and that they can be replenished quickly whenever necessary. Don Houghton of Don's Chevron Service, reported an excellent supply of ethyl gas and enough regular for normal needs.

Traffic on the 29 Palms Highway through this area was noticeably lighter for a couple of weekends after the shortage was announced in metropolitan centers. The past weekend, however, the number of cars on the road was greater although not yet normal for this time of year.

So come ahead to the desert—the local service men will see that you get home.

Rancho Sun Valley to Expand

A second tract of 3 and 6 acre ranches will soon be offered to the public at Rancho Sun Valley near Joshua Tree, it was announced by Chester R. Bunker, president of the Joshua Tree Townsite Company which is general sales agent for the turkeyland properties. Paving and extension of water lines will be commenced within the next few weeks it was reported. The No. 2 Tract adjoins the present development on the north.

"Because the response to our present sales effort has exceeded our expectation," said Bunker, "we have only 3 acre ranch left unsold in Tract No. 1. Many responsible families are planning to move to Rancho Sun Valley in time to start raising turkeys next season. With the addition of nearly a score of salesmen at Long Beach and plans for new offices at Pasadena and Santa Ana we are speeding the opening of the new tract of 24 ranches."

Mrs. Ruth Wood, manager of the Townsite Company's Long Beach branch stated that "Sun Valley has the answer to the question "What can I do to make a living on the desert?'." It is the ideal spot for healthful desert living plus the opportunity to start an independent business on a reasonable financial outlay."

Mrs. Wood further stated that many prospects are surprised at the year 'round livability of this desert region. They are amazed at the number of thriving communities to be found throughout the area. The friendliness of the people here impresses all visitors favorably, too.

Townsite Company officials state that more and more prospective buyers are interested in the larger 3, 6 and 10 acre tracts on which to raise the famous broad breasted turkeys.

Dewey OK's Farm Support

Following a conference with Senator George D. Aiken of Vermont and Representative Clifford R. Hope of Kansas, Governor Thomas E. Dewey issued the following statement on Agriculture:

"The farm legislation enacted by the 80th Congress is the best guarantee to American farmers of the Republican Party's interest in the problems involved in the all important job of producing food and other agricultural products for 140,000,000 Americans plus additional millison of people throughout the world."

Abundant food production, which was one of our most powerful weapons in war, is more than ever required if we are properly to feed our people at home at reasonable prices and successfuily wage the struggle for peace abroad."

"If American farmers are to be expected to produce the volume and quality of food necessary to

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The Personal Touch

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Pick Laughlin spent three days last week in Los Angeles visiting friends and seeing the sights.

Word was received last week of the marriage of Mrs. Verna Coulter and Claude Irwin at Las Vegas, Nevada. Former residents of Joshua Tree the Irwins now live in Banning.

William G. Bill Bunker was in town with Chester R. Bunker and Lester V. Peterman for the weekend. Bill has just returned from a tour of duty as third mate on the S.S. Alamo Victory which plies between the west coast and the Orient.

Chrome Sets — Lyons Furn. Co.

Miss Lou Housley spent the weekend at her cottage, "Blue Heaven," on Park Boulevard.

Mrs. Ray Schultz and daughter of San Francisco spent last week visiting her parents, the O. E. Harringtons in Joshua Tree.

The Van Tassel youngsters were the envy of their schoolmates last week when they commuted from Giant Rock to Joshua Tree via the air lanes. When George Van Tassels recon car developed motor trouble he enlisted the aid of visiting pilots in taxi-ing the youngsters to and from school. The landing strip in town was Deserair Road.

Asphalt Tile — Lyons Furn. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walton and Mr. and Mrs. D. Daly of Los Angeles, desert property owners, were Joshua Tree and Sun Valley visitors for several days last week. They are interested in the development of this region.

Joshuans were somewhat startled to see a sea-going Army "duck" drive into town last Tuesday. It was piloted by John Robb who stopped off enroute from Salton Sea to Los Angeles where he will give the amphibious vehicle an overhauling.

E. E. Woodward of Los Angeles, owner of a section of land near Yucca Mesa, was a Journal office visitor last Friday.

Mrs. Clella Herdman left early last week to accompany Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bowles on an extended motor trip.

Office furniture—Lyon's Furn. Co.

Ralph Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson, is now a recruit in Co. F of the 12th Infantry. After his training at Ft. Ord Ralph expects an oversea assignment to Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Patton of Los Angeles were guests of Bob Downers last weekend at his Joshua Tree cottage. Mr. Patton is associated with the Los Angeles Chemical Company of which Mr. Downer is an official.

Armstrong Linoleum—Lyons Furn.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Wood of Long Beach were weekend visitors at Sun Valley where they have acquired a turkey ranch. Mrs. Wood is manager of the Joshua Tree Townsite Co. office in Long Beach.

Thomas G. Harrison of Montebello was an interested visitor to Joshua Tree and Sun Valley the middle of last week. On the weekend Mr. and Mrs. Harrison came again to inspect desert properties with Steve Moninger.

Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Willey spent Monday and Tuesday of this week as guests of the James F. Whitebroms in Palm Springs.

Card Party Pleases; To Be Repeated

At the request of many of the fifty Joshuans who attended the Womens Club card party at the Community Hall last Wednesday night a repeat performance will be staged again on October 6th. An enjoyable evening of cards was enlivened by a drawing for door prizes and excellent refreshments were served.

The first prize at Wednesday nights party was a box of groceries from the Desert Trading Post that was awarded to Mrs. Venice Hoover. The second prize, a carton of cigarettes, was drawn by Mr. Robinson. Mrs. Ray Rees officiated at the door and Tom Gidney drew the names from the jar.

Serving the coffee and sandwiches were Mrs. Charles Mitchell, Mrs. Meredith Willey and Mrs. Venice Hoover. Mrs. Frank Cook, Club president announced the next party will start at 8 p.m. in the Community Hall on October 6th.

Tootles Will Entertain Sun Valley Club

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tootle will entertain the members of the Sun Valley Club at its next meeting on Thursday evening, September 30th. The business session which will start at 7 p.m. will be followed by a social hour after which refreshments will be served.

Protect Your Farm From Fire

Fire losses on farms and in rural communities destroy around two hundred million dollars worth of property every year, points out L. J. Hutchinson, Assistant Farm Advisor, University of California Agricultural Extension Service. And not all the loss is in property . . . fires result in the death of about 3500 persons in the United States every year.

We cannot prevent earthquakes or hurricanes, but most fire losses are preventable. Almost 80 per cent of these fires are the result of human carelessness or failure to take simple precautionary measures.

President Truman has set aside the week of October 5 as Fire Prevention Week. Since the best defense against fire is alertness, everyone is being asked to make a special effort during this week to remove fire hazards and build up habits of fire prevention. We cannot afford to allow carelessness and negligence to destroy food and resources needed in our recovery program.

The help farm owners check their property for fire hazards and their fire fighting facilities, a Farm Fire Protection Survey has been outlined by Woodbridge Metcalf and R. F. Grah, Extension Specialists in Forestry for the Agricultural Extension Service. This is a handy chart of a typical farm to show you the danger spots about your farm and what equipment should be on hand to protect these areas. There is also a check list as a reminder of fire precautions you may have forgotten.

Most fires are man-made . . . therefore, most fires are preventable. Our best defense against them is to be alert, active, and cooperative. If you would like a copy of this Farm Fire Protection Survey to be sure your family and your property are adequately protected, contact the Agricultural Extension office, Room 7, Post Office Building, Riverside.

Yucca Valley Magazine Sold

The Villager magazine of Palm Springs has purchased the Desert Spotlight magazine from Mr. Homer A. and Mrs. Ruth L. Stuart of Yucca Valley.

The Spotlight will be absorbed by the Villager, subscribers continuing to receive the Palm Springs publication for the time of their paid subscription, it was announced by Villager publisher, Geo. O. Wheeler.

Featherbedding breeds inefficiency, kills initiative and adds to the cost of living. Eliminate this evil. Vote "YES" on Proposition 3.

Old Style Market Planned

A Trade Day patterned after the Saturday market days in Old Mexico will be staged at the grounds of Arnold's Store in Morongo Valley on October 23rd. Mrs. Bernard Arnold has initiated the plan and invites anyone who has articles they don't need to bring them to the Trade Day and exchange with neighbors for other articles.

Mrs. Arnold hopes that everyone will derive both fun and profit from the affair and that it may become a monthly event to be held in the various communities of this desert area.

Further details concerning the Trade Day will be published in subsequent issues of the Journal.

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Morongo Valley Notes

BY ELIZABETH THOMSON

The first dance of the fall season, held last Wednesday night in the Community Hall was adjudged a great success by all who attended. The floor was filled to capacity for every dance while almost as many non-dancers enjoyed good conversation and soda pops in groups about the hall and on the porches. Officers of the Woman's Club report a tidy sum added to their Fund.

Belated Birthday Greetings to Betty Law, Lauren Law, Elfreda Eisenman and Mrs. Jennings who all celebrated birthdays last week.

Platform Rockers—Lyons Furn. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cogrove of Los Angeles who have been spending some time in Morongo left last week for Sequoia.

Morongo Valley is indeed fortunate to have a teacher, such as Mrs. Boutwell, who gives the children incentive not only to study the three "R's" but to carry on their play program out of school hours. On Saturday morning Sharon Sales, Dee Dee Arnold and Bobby Hobgood put on a puppet show which was greatly enjoyed by a small group of neighbors. The show was given in the patio at the home of Mrs. Alice Kinsley.

Ruth Hale, who has been spending the past two weeks in Morongo left Sunday for her home in Pasadena.

The Kenneth Fobes have returned to Los Angeles after spending the past few weeks in the valley.

Mrs. Monte Law and infant daughter, Victoria Ann, have returned home from the hospital.

Heywood-Wakefield-Lyons Fur. Co.

Friends of Alma Cassady Dettra were most happy to hear that she was able to leave the hospital last week. She is recuperating at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Selby in Glendale.

The Friday Night Pinochle Club met this week at Canyon House with the Chuck Hosttetters.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kuhn of Sherman Oaks were guests at Morongo Lodge over the weekend. The Kuhns own property in the valley and intend to build soon on their lot in Morongo Manor. While in Morongo they stopped to visit with the Harry Hesses at their recently completed Tract Office.

Mom and Pop Terp of the Hitching Post left Monday morning for a trip north to San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hess and son, Richard plan to leave the latter part of the week for the Grand Canyon. Enroute they will inspect the new road to Rice, and do some fishing at Parker Dam. Hoover Dam is also on their itinerary.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carmen and son, Charles spent the weekend at their home in Morongo.

Mr. Drew Secrist entertained a group of friends at the Buckskin Club in honor of his wife's birthday. Those enjoying a western chicken dinner with the Secrists were the Charles Taylors and the Harry Hesses and their son, Richard.

Al Bradley, who recently underwent a serious eye operation in an Eastern Hospital has returned. His friends are happy to hear that the surgery was a great success.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lee of Morongo Lodge are leaving this week for a sojourn at their Long Beach home.

Guests at Morongo Lodge this past week were Mr. and Mrs. Blake of Salt Lake City, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bates of Puente, the George Baileys and daughter, Dorothy of Whittier, the Verne Vaughns of Oceanside. Also at the Lodge for the weekend were the H. K. Widdowsons of Los Angeles and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Grace from Providence, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansen and family stayed at the Lodge while here visiting their relatives the MacKenzies.

The fire siren sounded at nine o'clock Sunday morning and when some fifty volunteer fire fighters had assembled Fire Chief Jimmy Freeman announced that they would all proceed to the Town Dump for a clean up party and burning of trash accumulated there. The Fire Dept. is to be commanded for promoting such civic service.

The Volunteer Fire Department announces they are sponsoring a Bingo Party Friday evening, October 1st at eight o'clock. The party will be held in the Community Hall. There will be a Dutch Auction with an electric waffle iron one of the items to be bid on. It has been announced that the last game of the evening will be played for a jackpot.

Yucca Valley Notes

Charles E. Dier of Long Beach visited his daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Stevenson of Yucca Valley over the weekend.

Linda Lee, 7½ pound baby girl, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis at Houston, Texas, on September 14th. Mrs. Davis is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William McClung of Yucca Valley.

Mrs. Connie Davis of Hollywood, formerly a resident here, will be back on the desert to live and will be employed at The Country Kitchen. Her husband, Tommy will come out in a couple of weeks and expects to be employed in Pioneertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wyers of Beaumont visited in Yucca Valley several days last week.

Patio furniture — Lyon's Furn. Co.

Mrs. Harriet Garvin of Wilmington, owner of the Desert Trails Motel, was a visitor here last week.

Tommy Humphreville, Jr., and Paul Griswold returned from a successful hunting trip in the Little Morongo last week bringing in a ten point buck that dressed out 132 pounds. Ed and Al Hardesty brought back a forked horn trophy from the High Sierras.

The Yucca Valley Teen Agers enjoyed a wiener roast and dance at the Community Service Club last Thursday. A number of guests from Pioneertown were present. It was reported that the Teen Agers hope to have their own clubrooms soon. In the meantime they appreciate the use of other quarters loaned by various service organizations.

For Lagging Appetites

By BETTY BARCLAY

Cooking for lagging summer appetites is often hard work for the cook. Not only does she have to choose dishes that are appealing both to the eye and palate, but she should also save herself as much work as possible on the very warm days.

Sometimes just one unusual dish that's hot and extra tasty will turn a prosaic meal into one that interests and intrigues the wilting appetite. Such a recipe is this one for savory Cheese Wafers to go hand in hand with a cold salad plate. Or try these delicate Blueberry Griddle Cakes some night for supper; or for dinner to follow up a light main course. And the best standby of all — believe it or not — on the very hottest days, is a good cream soup. It's light but nourishing and makes a sandwich plate extra attractive in contrast.

Save the appetite — and save the cook too — is a good motto for the dog days!

Blueberry Flakes Griddle Cakes

- 1¼ cups sifted flour
- 3 teaspoons double-acting baking powder
- ¾ teaspoon salt
- 2 teaspoons sugar
- 2 eggs, well beaten
- 1¾ cups milk
- 1 cup 40% bran flakes
- 1 tablespoon melted butter or other shortening
- 1 cup fresh blueberries

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, salt, and sugar, and sift again. Combine eggs and milk; add to flour gradually, beating only until smooth. Add flakes and shortening. Fold in berries. Bake on hot greased griddle. Serve with Blueberry Hard Sauce or Blueberry Fleck Sauce. Makes about 2 dozen griddle cakes.

Cheese Wafers

- 1 package (3 ounces) soft snappy cheese
- ¼ cup butter
- ½ cup sifted flour
- ½ cup crushed corn flakes

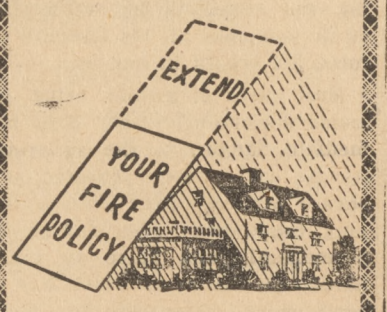
Combine all ingredients and mix thoroughly. Shape into small balls, place on ungreased baking sheet, and flatten with back of spoon. Bake in hot oven (400° F.) 7 to 10 minutes. Serve hot. Makes about 2 dozen wafers.

Note: If desired, unbaked wafers may be stored in the refrigerator until needed.

Cream of Spinach Soup

- 4 tablespoons uncooked wheat-meal
- 4 cups milk
- 1 cup finely chopped cooked spinach or spinach purée
- 2 tablespoons grated onion
- 1 teaspoon salt
- Dash of pepper

Add cereal to 1 cup milk and bring slowly to a boil. Continue boiling gently 3 to 5 minutes, stirring constantly. Add remaining 3 cups milk, spinach, onion, salt and pepper. Heat. Makes 6 to 8 servings.



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AN INVESTMENT IN GOOD GOVERNMENT

Unbelievable as it may seem — there is one group of our State employees that has not had a pay raise since 1924.

These poorly paid public servants are the members of our State Legislature; our State Senators and our Assemblymen.

We elect them to handle the affairs of our great State for us. In their hands we place the responsibility of managing this huge billion dollar corporation. We look to them for legislation in matters of health, for safety for our workers in the fields and in the factory. Agriculturists look to the Legislature for laws for pest-control for the protection of their crops. The veteran, the butcher, the baker, the banker and the newsboy on the corner — all depend upon our Legislature for the advancement of our State's economy.

To do all this we ask members of the Legislature to go to Sacramento for months on end; to neglect their own private affairs while they attend to our State and its many-sided activities.

And what do we pay them for all this service and sacrifice? The astounding answer is a lamentably inadequate $100 a month.

If we are to continue to expect honorable men and women to assume the responsibilities of State leadership, it then becomes our duty, as honorable citizens, to insist that they receive a fair remuneration.

A "yes" vote on Proposition Five will set in motion legislation already approved by Governor Warren to raise the Legislators' salaries to $250 per month.

It is an investment in good government we can well afford and one which has been too long delayed!

LET'S NOT BE TRIGGER HAPPY

As the barometer of feeling rises and falls in America with each new Berlin incident, opinion, both informed and casual, fluctuates on the all-important question: will there be war?

Everyone, it seems, is either writing or talking about the possibilities of a new world conflagration. The respected Brookings Institute of Washington, D.C., issued an optimistic report last week saying war is not likely. At the same moment, a Washington observer serving a private clientele warns: "Watch October."

The experts are entitled to their opinions; so is the man in the street. But out of all the discussion, only one clear fact emerges: there is no agreement on the answer to the question of peace or war, not even among those in the best position to know.

If the reader agrees with this observation, he should be receptive toward another. War will not be inevitable until the will to peace disappears either from America or from Russia. We know the American attitude. America wants peace. The Russian attitude is the enigma. Some say the Kremlin is hell-bent for war; others, that the Soviets will go to any lengths short of war to get their way.

Whatever the truth of the Russian position, and despite the ominous Berlin developments, Americans would be well-advised to retain their perspective. To become trigger-happy would be fateful. Decisive judgments should await decisive events. And while the will to peace is still strong, these events may never occur.

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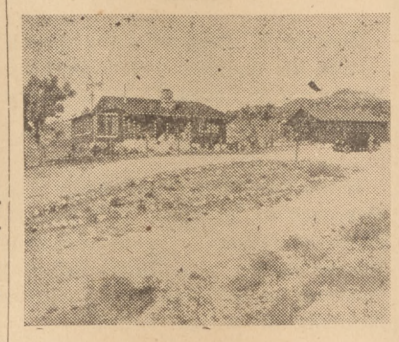

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THE UNWISE OWL

The Hoot and the Screech owl had a debate;
They argued early and they argued late.
In order to prove that she was right,
The Screech owl screeched far into the night!

Then the Hoot owl hooted every screech that she said;
He still was hooting when I went off to bed.
But alas, and alack, through the long quiet night,
That unladylike owl would screech, "I am right!"

Now humans take warning before it's too late;
Don't wear down your nerves in a needless debate!

Health for All

ASTHMA

Attacks of asthma, a disease affecting the bronchial tubes of the lungs, are usually frightening experiences.

During attacks, the asthma victim has great difficulty in breathing and seems to be suffocating as he summons all his strength to force his breath in and out.

Most cases of asthma bring extreme discomfort, rather than immediate danger, to the sufferers. At the same time, repeated and severe attacks can stretch the lung tissue and even damage it permanently and place an extra burden on the heart which has to work more vigorously to force blood through the injured lungs.

So it is wrong to assume that all cases of asthma are harmless. The asthma sufferer who allows his illness to go untreated and fails to seek good medical advice is taking an unnecessary risk.

There are different causes of bronchial asthma but most cases are caused by an allergy on the part of the victim. The person may be allegric to any number of substances, including certain foods, animal hairs, fur, feathers, cosmetics, dust or pollens. Frequently, asthma and hay fever come together, especially if their victim is allergic to ragwood pollen.

The person who suspects or knows he has asthma should consult his doctor for many reasons. First of all there are several illnesses with symptoms resembling those associated with asthma, among them heart disease and other diseases of the bronchial tubes. Only a good doctor can make an accurate diagnosis of what the illness is.

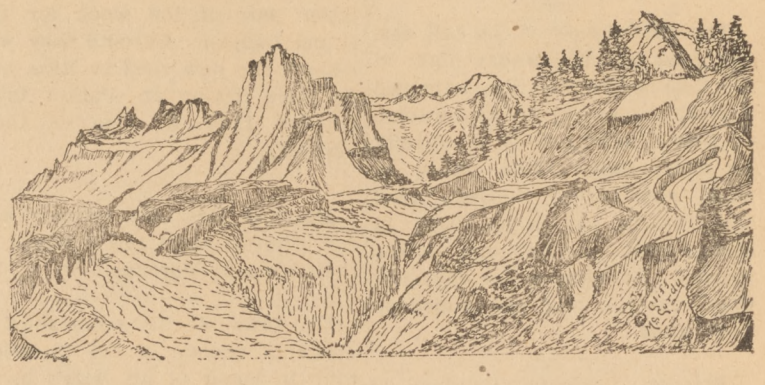
Second, a person with asthma should receive certain tests to find out what is causing the illness and the attacks that it brings. In addition to these tests, the sufferer must aid the doctor in "detective" work by furnishing his doctor with information on the history of allergy in his family, his occupation, where he lives and the time, place and length of his asthma attacks. A study of these facts, plus any laboratory tests he might think necessary, often help the doctor find the underlying cause of the patient's asthma and so prescribe the correct treatment for it.

There is no need these days for a victim of asthma to go on suffering in resignation, because modern medical treatment by a good doctor will relieve the suffering and frequently cure the illness.

Asthma may occur at any age, but it most generally starts during childhood or early maturity. It is estimated that about one-third of all cases of asthma begin in children under ten years of age. A child who "wheezes" or frequently seems to have difficulty in breathing, should be taken to the doctor at once. If the doctor finds that the child has asthma, he can relieve his discomfort immediately and prescribe the proper treatment before it causes great suffering or results in more serious illness.

In the next article, diet and TB will be discussed.

Doin's 'round the Diggin's



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- SPORTS -

Broilers Take Deciding Game And Pennant

In a tight contest that saw both teams fighting all the way the Smoke Tree Broiler nine won the decision by a score of 6 runs to 5 last Thursday night at Gilpin Field. The Broiler tied up the series on Tuesday night with another close score of 5 to 4. With the series even at three all both Kenney Druggists and the Broilers were keyed up for the deciding game.

After holding Kenneys in the top of the first the Broiler scored one in their half of the initial stanza on doubles by Sharp and Ryan. In the second Nicoll tallied on Dunavants double after reaching first on an error. In the bottom half of the inning the Broilers went 2 ahead on two singles and a two bagger.

Another goose egg was marked up for Kenneys in the third. Ellis scored another for the winners when he clouted a four bagger. Dunavant followed suit for Kenneys in the fourth.

The Broiler raised the score to 5 in the fifth when Ryan tripled and tallied after a fly was caught. Kenneys tied the score in the sixth on hits by Dunavant and Phelps who scored when Bagley homered.

Hits by Mitchell and Sommers gave the Broiler the last score and the winning one.

Ryan, the winning pitcher, allowed 14 hits including homers by Dunavant and Bagley. He struck out 4 Kenneymen. The Broilers were charged with 3 errors.

Nicoll, on the mound for the losers, was touched for 10 hits, walked 1 and fanned 3. The Druggists miscued 4 times.

After the game an informal celebration was staged by the sponsor, Jimmie Williams, for his players at the Smoke Tree Broiler. A fine gesture of sportsmanship was displayed by Kenneys when the sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kenney, and members of the team arrived to congratulate the winners.

Saddle Club Lions To Battle For Scout Benefits

A short softball game for the benefit of the Boy Scout building project will be staged between the 29 Palms Lions Club and the Saddle Club at Gilpin Field on Thursday night. The Lions will be arrayed as members of the gentler sex when they line up for the contest with the Cowboys. This event will be a curtain raiser for a later game between Kenney Druggists and an all star aggregation.

The Scout clubhouse is about fifty percent completed and the Lions hope to realize enough to finish the project before cold weather.

California Speaks

SIGNIFICANT STATEMENTS BY INTERESTING CALIFORNIANS

LYLE M. BROWN, S. F. Telephone Co. exec.—"It takes courage to pioneer, to go ahead when you can't see around the corner."

HARRY A. MITCHELL, Pres., State C. of C.—"Never before, except in time of war, has a greater crisis faced California than that which confronts us in the proposal to reapportion our State Senate."

DR. RUDOLF FARNER, Swiss advertising exec., in Calif.—"Swiss industry considers itself a partner, not a competitor of the U.S."

MARCHIE SCHWARTZ, Palo Alto, Stanford Univ. football coach — "The football competition should be so keen this season, that no team in the conference should go undefeated."

LOUIS F. BUDENZ, one-time Communist leader, in Calif.—"The United States' firm policy in Berlin and elsewhere may be causing plenty of friction, but is not likely to ignite the spark of armed combat."

Picky Peggy

Do you have a "Picky Peggy" or a "Refusing Robert" in your home? I mean one of those children who will eat only a few favorite foods and even refuse to *try* new dishes, to find out whether or not they are pleasing.

If so, you're not alone. Thousands of parents have the same problem. The sad part of it is that usually the foods these children like, fail to give them a balanced diet and sooner or later they come home from school with an "undernourished" card from the teacher.

One way to solve your "Picky Peggy" problem is to serve tasty rennet desserts regularly. These are particularly desirable for children who refuse to drink milk, for in these desserts they get milk in a form they like. Here's a sample recipe to try. It's for only one of dozens of tasty rennet desserts that may be served.

Graham Nut Rennet Desserts

¼ cup finely ground graham cracker crumbs
¼ cup finely chopped nuts
2 cups milk (not canned)
1 package orange rennet powder

Set out 4 or 5 dessert glasses. In the bottom of each dessert glass place a heaping teaspoon of graham cracker crumbs and a heaping teaspoon of chopped nuts. Warm milk slowly, *stirring constantly*. Test a drop on inside of wrist frequently. When COMFORTABLY WARM, (110° F.) *not hot*, remove *at once* from heat. Stir rennet powder into milk quickly until dissolved — *not over one minute*. Pour *at once, while still liquid*, over cracker crumbs and nuts. Do not move until set — about 10 minutes. Then chill. Just before serving, sprinkle a few graham cracker crumbs and nuts over the top of each rennet dessert.

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Photo Classics

An umpire has his ups and downs, as shown in this novel Speed Graphic shot made at Briggs Stadium, Detroit. The runner was safe but the first baseman, in covering the bag, accidentally knocked over the umpire. Photographer Monroe Stroecker used a special camera focusing device that can be adjusted rapidly to follow the fast-moving play.

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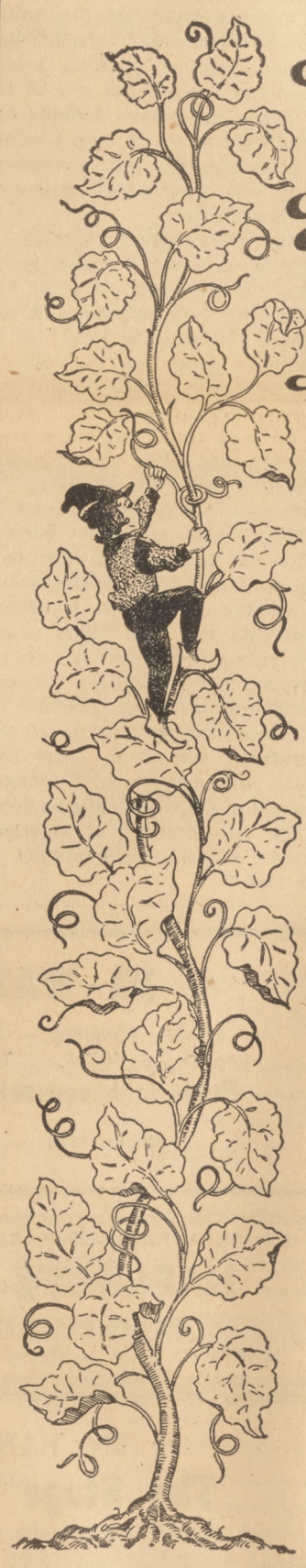

One of the amazing developments of the post-war period is the way the demand for telephone service shot upward. Like Jack's beanstalk, it grew and grew and it keeps right on growing at astonishing speed.

It seems that almost everyone in the nation wants a telephone, and in Southern California the demand for service is particularly lively. During the past twelve months we spent more than $1,750,000 on new construction, added some 12,000 telephones with a net gain of about 6,000, and yet new applications keep coming in so fast we have nearly as many on our books today as we had a year ago.

To fulfill the ever-increasing requirements of this community and to provide better telephone service than ever before, we are going ahead with our expansion program as fast as the availability of equipment and skilled workers permit.

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Many Groups Support Proposition 3

Endorsement action has been taken by more than a score of Statewide organizations in support of Proposition 3 — the anti-featherbedding initiative on the November ballot, the California Committee Against Featherbedding announced today.

Proposition 3 is directed against legalized featherbedding as typified by the State's Excess Crew Law of 1911. Proponents charge that featherbedding, in all its ramifications, is responsible for fully 20 percent of today's living costs.

Additional Statewide endorsements are being received as various consumer, business, industrial and civic organizations convene and eventually the endorsement list will constitute one of the most impressive ever received by a ballot proposition.

Numerically, according to the anti-featherbedding committee, the endorsement action represents a membership in excess of 250,000 persons. This number includes the membership of 50 Chambers of Commerce which have voted support of Proposition 3 during the past several weeks.

Included in the list to date are the following groups:

California State Chamber of Commerce, California Junior Chamber of Commerce, California Farmers, Inc., California Farm Bureau Federation, Associated Farmers, California Wool Growers Association, California Manufacturers Association, Grower-Shipper Vegetable Association of Central California, California Cattlemen's Association, California Lima Bean Growers Association, Canners League of California, California Forest Protective Association, Poultry Producers of Central California, The Home League, Agricultural Council of California, California Metal Trades Association, and the Pacific Coast Transportation Advisory Board.

In addition to the organizational endorsements more than 1,000 individual endorsements have been received, pledging a "YES Vote on 3" from leaders in all fields of activity, ranging from housewives' groups and veterans to civic club leaders, fraternal officials and industrialists.

Dewey OK's Farm Support

(Continued from page 1)

meet these great obligations, they must be protected."

"The consumer and the farmer have an equal stake in sound government support of farm prices. Tomorrow's meals can not be left to chance and today's farming sets tomorrow's table. A firm program of price supports at reasonable levels will benefit both producers and consumers."

"The price support program enacted by the 80th Congress recognizes the necessity of such protection for both farmers and consumers. I subscribe firmly to its principles both for the present and the future. Price support provisions of this Republican-sponsored law guarantee farmers against undue losses when they produce enough to meet the needs of our consumers and industrial users."

"The conference with Senator Aiken and Congressman Hope is in line with my long standing policy of working closely with legislative leadership and I am happy to say they fully share the views I am expressing. The Republican National administration, after January 20, will continue this policy of cooperation. Out of it, I am confident, will come a well rounded program which will be administered in the best interests of American farmers without regimentation or red tape."

Lathrop Airs Views To Realtors

"It is remarkable that the basic law of the land as established in the Constitution should still persist and guide us in the practice of government, on this 161st anniversary of the signing of the Constitution," said Lowell E. Lathrop, Republican candidate for Congress from the twenty-first district, in a talk Friday evening before the Rim-O'-The-World Real Estate board at a dinner meeting at Skyland lodge, Crestline.

"The fact that this great document has stood the test of time, a time when the basic principles of nearly every government has undergone many changes, should prove to every person who lives under this Constitution, if such proof is necessary, that we have the best form of government that has ever been devised by man."

Touching on national defense, he said, "Until the peace of the world is definitely and firmly established and the United Nations has the force to insure the peace of the world, we should always maintain a strong and adequate air force to meet all reasonable and anticipated needs. Any government that did not provide for such air power would be very shortsighted and would be gambling with the future of this country."

"There must be a thorough housecleaning of the executive administrative departments of our national government, and the termites in the form of Communists subversive and disloyal elements, who have worked and wormed their way into these two departments of the government, must be ferreted out and discharged before they succeed in their evil purposes."

The issue behind Proposition 3 is featherbedding. It concerns every man, woman and child because surveys prove 20 per cent of the cost of living is a tribute to featherbedding practices. Vote "YES" on 3!

Webster says: "Featherbedding is the forced employment of more men than there are jobs to do." Featherbedding today adds 20 per cent to the cost of living. Cut down featherbedding by voting "YES" on Proposition 3.

Livestock Will Eat Well in 1948

The large 1948 corn crop and the especially large supply of feed grains nationally will have its effect upon California livestock production, according to N. L. McFarlane, Farm Advisor, University of California Agricultural Extension Service. Feed grains will be plentiful with livestock numbers low.

The corn crop this year is a billion bushels more than last year's crop.

The oats crop, estimated at nearly 1,500,000,000 bushels, is a fifth larger than last year's crop, which was near average.

The barley crop is 12 per cent above last year's crop, and five per cent above the ten year average, 1937-46. California had a large barley crop this year to contribute to the high national figure.

Sorghum grain production is expected to be 131,300,000 bushels. This would be the second largest crop on record. The record crop was the 1944 production of nearly 185,000,000 bushels.

Hay and pastures are holding their own. The all-hay estimate is 97,700,000 tons, compared with the average of 97,600,000 . The total supply, including a 15,000,000 tons caryover, will be nearly 113,000,000 tons.

In relation to the large supplies of feed this year, the number of cattle is smaller than ever. In the Corn Belt, the number of cattle on feed will probably be the second smallest on record. Livestock numbers nationally are the smallest in ten yaers. As a result, the feed for the 1948-49 season promises to be the most liberal per animal unit in history.

Proposition 3 is not political. Leaders of both major political parties have endorced this anti-featherbedding initiative on the November ballot. Reduce living costs; vote "YES" on 3.

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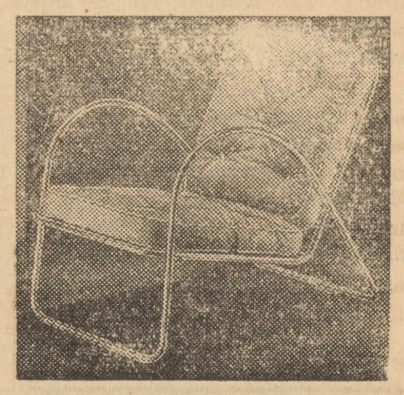
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Church Corner

by Edythe Fraetis

At the Sunday School, prizes were awarded for the summer attendance contest. Superintendent Mrs. H. K. Lee announced the beginning of a new and interesting contest. Thirty-three were in attendance.

Dr. D. C. Williams, pastor, announced that next Sunday will be World Wide Communion Sunday. It also is the third anniversary of the organization of the Joshua Tree Chapel so all are urged to be present.

Dr. Williams read from the Thrid Chapter of Philippians and spoke on the theme "That I May Know Him."

Dr. Williams reminded us that Paul wrote this letter to the church at Philippi while confined to his prison cell at Rome, expecting any moment to be executed. He stated that undoubtedly the secret of Paul's great faith, of his marvelous personality and his great success as a Christian leader was his intense desire "that I might know Him."

A good citizen and a good Christian were compared and we were told that if we would put forth the same effort and sacrifice for Christ that we do for our country there would be more real Christians. In fact, if Christ were in every home and every Christian a real missionary the ills of America could be cured.

Harold Jensen sang "He poured out His soul unto Death."

The Bible Study Class will meet at the home of Mrs. H. K. Lee on Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m. Anyone interested is cordially invited to attend.

Johnson Courts Modernizing

R. D. and William Dishman, new owners of Johnson Courts on the Highway, are doing a complete job of remodelin gand redecorating at their new property. Interior furnishings wil lbe replaced and refinished for the fall season.

There are four housekeeping units and owners quarters at the Courts. When reopened the Courts will be managed by Frank Wilberg of the adjacent LeOrra Courts.

Church Notes

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COMMUNITY CHAPEL
Rev. D. C. Williams, Minister.
Sunday services, 11 a.m.
Community Hall.
Sunday School: Mrs. H. K. Lee, Supt., Community Hall, 9:45 a.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Sunday Services 11 a.m.
Sunday School same hour.
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Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.
Prayer meeting, Thurs. 7:30 p.m.

BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH
Rev. P. J. O'Dowd, pastor.
Sunday Mass, 8 - 9 - 10:30 a.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible Study 10 a.m.
Sermon, 11 a.m.
American Legion Cottage.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES
Rev. Robert M. Hogarth of Palm Springs.
Second Sunday each month.
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2nd Friday each month
Community Hall, 8 p.m.

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Community Hall, 2 p.m.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS
Joshua Tree Women's Club
1st Wednesday each month.
Community hall.

JOSHUA TREE PTA
3rd Tuesday each month
School House, 8 p.m.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS PTA
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TRI-VALLEY LIONS CLUB
1st and 3rd Thursday
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